

on the motion to proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 227, to authorize the use of additional funds for salaries and expenses of the Special Committee to Investigate Whitewater Development Corporation and Related Matters and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Wednesday, April 17, 1996.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Elizabeth K. Julian, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Robert Clarke Brown, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term of six years.

Daniel Guttman, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 2001.

Lowell Lee Junkins, of Iowa, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation.

Martin A. Kamarck, of Massachusetts, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States for the remainder of the term expiring January 20, 1997.

Yolanda Townsend Wheat, of Missouri, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board for the term of six years expiring

August 2, 2001.

Morris N. Hughes, Jr., of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi.

2 Air Force nominations in the rank of general. Routine lists in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 6:35 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Tuesday, April 16, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3328.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

TAX LIMITATION AND RETROACTIVE TAXATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitution, Federalism and Property Rights concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 49, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require two-thirds majorities for bills increasing taxes, and S.J. Res. 8, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to prohibit retroactive increases in taxes, after receiving testimony from Senator Coverdell; Representatives Skaggs, Barton, and Shadegg; former Delaware Governor Pete du Pont, Wilmington, representing the National Center for Policy Analysis; Jack Kemp, Empower America, Lloyd Cutler, Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering, Grover G. Norquist, Americans for Tax Reform, William A. Niskanen and Roger Pilon, both of the Cato Institute, Robert Greenstein, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, Joseph E. Schmitz, Patton Boggs, and Mortimer Caplin, Caplin & Drysdale, former U.S. Commissioner of Internal Revenue, all of Washington, D.C.; John McGinnis, Yeshiva University Cardozo School of Law, New York, New York; David A. Strauss, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, Illinois; and Joanne Dixon, Jirard, Georgia.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 3230–3247; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 160–161, and H. Res. 400–401 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1527, to amend the National Forest Ski Area Permit Act of 1986 to clarify the authorities

and duties of the Secretary of Agriculture in issuing ski area permits on National Forest System lands and to withdraw lands within ski area permit boundaries for the operation of the mining and mineral leasing laws, amended, (H. Rept. 104–516 Pt. 1);

H.R. 2160, to authorize appropriations to carry out the interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 and